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AMENDMENTS TO THE DRAWINGS:

The attached 14 sheets of drawings are replacement drawings in response to the Notice of Draftsperson's Patent Drawing Review attached to said Office action.

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REMARKS

First of all, the applicants appreciate the Examiner's amendment which approved the entry into record of Figs. A and B and the associated paragraphs identified by the examiner in the said Office action.

Furthermore, the title of the invention in this application has been changed to reflect the changes made in the claims during prosecution. The resulting claims are directed to detecting information at a remote location and sending the information to a central station. Therefore, the suggested title of the invention is more reflective of the claims allowed.

Figs. 3A and 3B, which the examiner has approved for the entry into the record, involve an overload of information. Our certified draftsman, while transforming Figs. 3A and 3B into the formal format following the rules under 37 CFR 1.84, came to the conclusion that Fig. 3A had to be split into Figs. 3A-1 and Figs. 3A-2, and Fig. 3B into Figs. 3B-1, 3B-2 and 3B-3. Therefore, Figs. 3A and 3B are now presented as Figs. 3A-1 and 3A-2, and Figs. 3B-1, 3B-2 and 3B-3. There has been no change in the content of Figs. 3A and 3B, only the contents have been re-arranged to satisfy the requirements of 37 CFR 1.84.

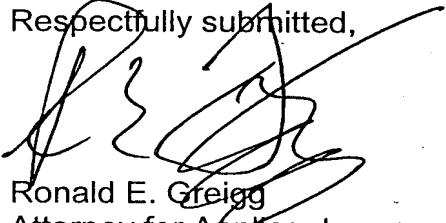
As a result of the splitting up of Figs. 3A and 3B, the corresponding changes have been made in the description of the figures in paragraphs 0029 and 0030. A reader of the patent would be prompted to look to the specific figures 3A-1, 3A-2,

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3B-1, 3B-2, and 3B-3 depending upon the reference numerals involved in the reading of the disclosure.

After this amendment and the examiner's amendment, the application is now complete in all respects. Therefore, the allowance of claims 73-78, 81-95, 97-101, and 104-105, now renumbered as 1-28, according to the examiner's amendment, is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,



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